Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services

Pharmacy and Therapeutics Advisory Committee Recommendations

May 18, 2006 Meeting

This chart provides a summary of the final PDL selections that were made by the Secretary for Health and Family Services as a result of the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Advisory Committee meeting of May 18, 2006.

	Services as a result of the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Advisory Committee meeting of M Description of Recommendation	Final PDL Decision
#1	 Ophthalmic Antihistamines The ophthalmic antihistamines are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select at least 2 agents as preferred based on economic evaluation. Agents not selected as preferred based on economic evaluation will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections ELESTAT PATANOL
#2	 Ophthalmic Mast Cell Stabilizers The mast cell stabilizers are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select at least 2 agents as preferred based on economic evaluation. Agents not selected as preferred based on economic evaluation will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections ALOCRIL CROMOLYN SODIUM
#3	 Ophthalmic Quinolones The ophthalmic quinolones are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select agent(s) as preferred based on economic evaluation. Agents not selected as preferred based on economic evaluation will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections CIPROFLOXACIN HCL VIGAMOX
#4	 Alpha 2 Adrenergic Agents – Glaucoma The alpha 2 adrenergic agents for glaucoma are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select all agents as preferred. Agents to be reviewed in 1 year. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	PDL Selections ALPHAGAN P BRIMONIDINE TARTRATE IOPIDINE
#5	 Beta Blockers Glaucoma The beta blockers for glaucoma are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select all agents as preferred. Agents to be reviewed in 1 year. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections BETAXOL HCL DROPS BETOPTIC S CARTEOLOL HCL ISTALOL LEVOBUNOLOL HCL METIPRANOLOL TIMOLOL MALEATE DROPS TIMOLOL MALEATE SOL- BETIMOL

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#6	Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors – Glaucoma 1. The carbonic anhydrase inhibitors for glaucoma are considered to be equivalent	Recommendations Approved
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#7	 Ophthalmic Prostaglandin Agonists The prostaglandin agonists are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select all agents as preferred. Agents to be reviewed in 1 year. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections LUMIGAN TRAVATAN XALATAN
#8	 Ophthalmic NSAIDs The ophthalmic NSAIDs are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select agent(s) as preferred based on economic evaluation. Agents not selected as preferred based on economic evaluation will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections ACULAR ACULAR LS FLURBIPROFEN VOLTAREN DROPS
#9	 Otic Quinolones The otic quinolones are considered to be equivalent in efficacy and safety. DMS to select all agents as preferred. Agents to be reviewed in 1 year. For any new chemical entity in the class, require a PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. 	Recommendations Approved PDL Selections CIPRO HC CIPRODEX FLOXIN DROPS